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SUBJECT: INVESTMENT PLANS FOR POLISH FOOD INDUSTRY

REF: A. WARSAW 2056; B. WARSAW 6447; C. POZNAN 0008

- 1. INFORMATION SUPPLIED IN REF. A ON STATUS OF POLISH INVESTMENT PLANS IN FOOD INDUSTRY MUCH APPRECIATED.
- 2. BUSINESS COMMUNITY INFORMED IN JANUARY OF TRADE
 OPPORTUNITY FOR SOFT MATERIALS PACKAGING PLANT REF. B
 THROUGH ARTICLES IN COMMERCE TODAY, COMMERCE BUSINESS DAILY,
 AND NOTIFICATION SERVICE OF PACKAGING MACHINERY MANUFACTURERS
 INSTITUTE (PMMI). INTERESTED FIRMS ADVISED TO CONTACT
 HILKNER AT POLIMEX-CEKOP AND TDC WARSAW. AS BEWT/TDAD
 ADDRESS INADVERTENTLY OMITTED FROM ARTICLES, WE DO NOT
 KNOW WHICH FIRMS MAY HAVE RESPONDED TO POLIMEX.
 DOW, DUPONT, REYNOLDS, WJC AMONG FIRMS CONTACTED DIRECTLY
 WHO ARE CONSIDERING LOOKING INTO PROJECT. IN VIEW RECENT
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INDICATION REF. A OF TOP PRIORITY GIVEN TO THIS PROJECT,

RENEWED EFFORT BEING MADE TO LOCATE APPROPRIATE SUPPLIERS. ASSISTANCE OF NATIONAL FLEXIBLE PACKAGING ASSOCIATION AND SOCIETY OF PLASTICS ENGINEERS BEING ENLISTED. FURTHER STATUS REPORT OUR EFFORTS TO BOLLOW AS MORE POTENTIAL SUPPLIERS IDENTIFIED.

- 3. CAN MANUFACTURING PLANTS SUBJECT OF SEPTEL STATE 080189 OF APRIL 19.
- 4. WE NOT REF. A DOES NOT MENTION BREAKFAST CEREAL PLANT TRADE OPPORTUNITY FORWARDED AS REF. C AND WONDER IF THIS PROJECT IS STILL UNDER SONDIERATION OR HAS BEEN DROPPED IN FAVOR OF POTATO FLAKE PROJECT PARA. 4 REF. A. LATEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO COMMERCE INDICATES THAT GENERAL FOODS, AND KELLOGG ARE LOOKING INTO PROJECT; NABISCO, RALSTON PURINA UNABLE TO PURSUE PROJECT DUE TO OTHER COMMITMENTS. INFORMATION ON POSSIBLE QUAKER AND GENERAL MILLS INTEREST PRESENTLY UNAVAILABLE BUT WILL BE OBTAINED IF PROJECT STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION. KISSINGER

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